What Goes On . . .

Sat., Oct. 31, 10:15 a.m. Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative Annual Meeting, Library Meeting Room

Tues., Nov. 3, 7 a.m. - 8 p.m. Election Day (see stories)

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Wed., Nov. 4, 7.30 p.m. New School Information Update, Center School.

Thur., Nov. 5, 7:30 p.m., GE-AC Meeting, Greenbrian

8 p.m. GHI Board Meeting, Hamilton Place.

Thursday, October 29, 1992

Record Numbers Expected at Polls; **Democrats Lead in Registration**

by Elaine Skolnik

Nationwide an energized electorate is expected to vote in record numbers on Tuesday, November 3. The three-way presidential race and debates, an ailing economy with its underlying deficit and unemployment, and issues of change and character have stirred the voting population's interest and emotions in a big way. Indeed, this has been a volatile election year.

With the election just days away, candidates remain uneasy as they face an electorate that is discontented and still shifting around. In dealing with this unknown, candidates continue to scramble and are expected to campaign up to the last minute.

In the intense presidential contest, Governor Bill Clinton and running mate Albert Gore, Jr., Democrats, have held a lead in the polls over President George Bush and Vice-President Dan Quayle, Republicans, since the summer conventions. With the reentry of Independent Ross Perot and his running mate, James Stockdale, it is uncertain at whose expense a vote for Perot would come.

Competing also for president and vice-president respectively, are: Andre Marrou and Nancy Lord, Libertarian Party; and Lenora B. Fulani and Maria Elizabeth Munoz, Alliance Party.

In Greenbelt, where Democrats now hold a 2.7 to 1 margin (see

General Election

VOTING Where and When

General election day is Tuesday, November 3. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 pm., at the four precincts which serve Greenbelt - Center School (third precinct), St Hughs (sixth precinct.), Springhill Lake Elementary School (eighth precinct), and Eleanor Roosevelt High School (thirteenth precinct).

Any registered voter who has doubts about where to vote may obtain additional information by calling the Board of Elections at 952-3270.

chart) over Republicans, Democratic candidates are expected once again to emerge victorious.

Other

Local political pundits specu-See ELECTION, page 5, col. 3

A Review

The Children's Hour Players Deserve a Larger Audience

by Pat Davis

The Greenbelt Arts Center production of "The Children's Hour" opened Friday night, October 23 at Berwyn Presbyterian Church. It was unfortunate that the audience was small, for this is a good presentation of that play.

"The Children's Hour" was written by Lillian Hellman, whose works combined insight into psychological weakness and concern with the social issues of her time. This play is the story of a willful and resentful student, Mary, who constantly lies to get out of trouble and who bullies her fellow students. It is also about her two teachers, Karen and Martha, who are the object of Mary's resentment. When Mary accuses her teachers of being lovers, everyone's lives are changed forever. As the play progresses, it builds toward a dramatic climax.

Meverette Smith is superb as Mary; her performance is reminiscent of a "bad seed" type of character and is chilling at

times. Mary Monet and Julie Marlette-Eckhardt are both excellent in their roles as the teachers. Monet brings a lightheartedness to her role as Karen that contrasts with Marlette-Eckhardt's serious and complex portrayal of Martha.

The supporting players are all good in their roles and add to the audience's enjoyment of this play. Trix Whitehall is particularly effective as Martha's aunt, Mrs. Mortar.

The stage setting is simple, but works well, given the constraints of the church hall.

All in all, "The Children's Hour" is an entertaining production. The Arts Center has done a good job with this play and deserves larger audiences.

Greenbelt Theatre to Screen Classic Film - "Casablanca"

by Eileen Peterson

"Casablanca," featuring Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman, will come to the screen of the Old Greenbelt Theatre on November 13, as the first in a series of Classic Flm weekends planned at the local movie house.

This film is celebrating its fiftieth anniversary. proprietor Paul Sanchez explains, and he has secured a copy of the new printings of the film which have been made to commemorate this classic motion picture. It will be shown in its proper aspect ratio, unlike some old movie showings where the top and bottom of picture are cut off.

Besides running the film Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings, there will be matinees that weekend. Sanchez has also got-

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ten vintage "trailers" to show. These are previews of movies-to-come which were shown before the running of main features, and the ones slated to be shown will be from the early

Due to difficult financial problems at the local theater, Sanchez was forced to reduce operations here to three days per week. If the theater can stay open into the winter, he plans to present other classic films such as "Singing in the Rain" and "An American in Paris."

Amid growing citizenry concern about the theater's future, city staff and Sanchez will soon meet to see if there are ways in which the movie theater can remain as an entertainment tity in the revitalized shopping area. The bright theater marquee and the presence of patrons coming and going have added a special atmosphere to the town's

"Though the past two years have been difficult," Sanchez reflects, "I really want to keep the theater open here in some capacity." His other P & G theaters in the area are holding their own in these tight money times, he says.

Greenbelt Registration Precinct Democrats Republicans Unaffiliated

| 21-3 Center School | 1,480 | 476 | 300 | 7 | 2,263 | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|---------|--------|----------|---------------|--|
| 21-6 St. Hugh's School | 1,305 | 512 | 288 | 4 | 2,109 | |
| 21-8 Springhill Lake School | 1,055 | 281 | 280 | 5 | 1,621 | |
| 21-13 Roosevelt High School | 1,866 | 825 | 543 | 9 | 3,243 | |
| TOTAL GREENBELT | 5,706 | 2,094 | 1,411 | 25 | 9,236 | |
| PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY | 220,407 | 62,813 | 34,894 | 392 | 318,506 | |
| 5TH CONGRESSIONAL DIST | 82,884 | 41,987 | 18,888 | 216 | 143,975 | |
| MARYLAND | 1,506,000 | 718,000 | | 239,000* | 2,463,000 | |
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County and State Ballot Questions

by James Giese

Voters will be asked to decide upon six state ballot referendum questions and four county questions. A proposal to seek approval for a more liberal abortion law has drawn the most publicity and created the greatest controversy.

Proposals petitioned to referendum to place further restrictions on the county's taxing authority and to limit to two the number of terms to which a county councilmember or county executive can be elected have drawn the greatest publicity at the county level.

Abortion. State question #6 is to approve the new state law governing abortions. The more restrictive state law currently on the books has been invalidated by the Supreme Court decision in Roe v. Wade. The new law would ensure that more liberal abortion regulations would continue to be in place if the Supreme Court should reverse it-Otherwise Maryland would again be regulated by the more restrictive law still on the books. Besides the conflicting issues of "Freedom of Choice" versus "Right to Life," opponents are concerned that the proposed law is too liberal as relates to parental notification requirements for unmarried minors, late term abortions and the regulation of referral fees. Proponents believe that other laws on the

book effectively regulate these matters and that provisions that abortions be performed by li-censed physicians and regulated by the state Department of Health assure that abortions will be performed in a safe manner.

Tax Limitations. County ballot question D would limit the increase in the amount of property tax revenues in any one year to no more than the increase in the consumer price index (CPI) or five percent, whichever is less. Proponents believe that present restrictions that limit the county tax rate to \$2.40, the amount presently levied, and which prevent property assessments from increasing by more than 10 percent a year are inadequate. Opponents note that the proposal

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Vote Tuesday

As four nationally televised debates and innumerable campaign messages have made clear, on Tuesday voters will once again be asked to select a president and vice president. However, Greenbelters may be less aware that there are other offices on the ballot: U.S. Congressmember, U.S. Senator and several judges. Although there are no local races this year, state and county referendum questions are on the ballot regarding abortion, term and tax limitations and other issues. It is unfortunate that a shortage of funds has caused the county elections office not to send sample ballots to voters this year.

Serious issues face our country in the next four years. We urge all registered voters to participate in choosing the representatives who will have the responsibility to decide these issues. Please VOTE!

Our Recommendations On Ballot Questions

Ten questions are on the ballot at the November 3 elec-

Establishing a Contingency Fund: County Question A. We support this proposal for the county to practice fiscal prudence by establishing a contingency fund.

Revising Budget Schedule: County Question B. We support. This proposal to delay the budget schedule by 15 days could help county budgeteers prepare a better budget.

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Term Limits: County Question C. We oppose. Although incumbents have an advantage over other candidates, term limitations is not the solution.

It is the voters who return those officials to office or throw them out. We believe that voters have the power now to elect challengers and we oppose any restrictions on their power to reelect officials who are doing a good job.

Tax limits. County Question D. We oppose this proposal to cap property tax revenues. Existing restrictions already limit the maximum tax rate that can be levied to \$2.40 and also limit to 10 percent the annual increase in individual property assessments. The proposed restriction is poorly crafted and does not limit an individual's property tax bill.

We are particularly concerned that the restriction applies to growth resulting from new development and that the county would not get extra money from these developments to pay the cost of the new services they would need. Also, the county would not fully benefit from added assessments for business property. We are concerned that this proposal will seriously curtail the county's ability to raise funds needed for education. public safety and other important services in the face of continuing cutbacks in aid from

Civil Court Procedures: State Questions #1, #2, #3, and #4. We support. These four questions streamline Maryland civil court procedures. The first two would reduce the size of juries in civil cases from 12 to six. The other two would eliminate jury trials if the amount of money in dispute is less than \$5,000.

Writing County Charters: State Question #5. We take no position. This proposal, which does not affect our county, would give charter boards an extra six months to write a county charter.

Abortions: State Question #6. We take no position on this ballot question to approve or reject a new state law governing abortions. Voters should be aware that a "FOR" vote will put the new law with fewer restrictions on abortion into effect. An "AGAINST" vote would continue the state's previous law that contains more restrictive conditions and that presently is not in effect, but could become law again if the Supreme Court reversed itself on Roe v. Wade.

Subscriptions and Deadline Information

Information

MAIL SUBSCRIPTIONS: \$30 per year.

Advertising and news articles may be mailed (Box 68, Greenbelt); deposited in our box at the Greenbelt Co-op grocery store before 7 p.m. Tuesday or delivered to the editorial office in the basement of 15 Parkway (474-4131). The office is open Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm for display advertising; deadline is 10 pm. News articles and classified ads are accepted Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm and Tuesday from 8-10 pm.

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Letters to the Editor

2 Edged Sword

Last week's News Review had a very fine letter by Jordan Choper on Questions C and D. I agree with everything he wrote. Tax limitation will bring us back to the years of TRIM, which was quite harmful to our county, especially our schools.

The question on term limitations is truly a two-edged sword. It will put out good as well as bad office holders. Also it will mean that the voters will not have a real choice and will not be able to vote for all their favorite candidates.

There is some point to having term limits on executive positions. The County Executive for instance should not be allowed to dominate the county for the rest of his life. For legislative positions it is a different story. Each member of the County Council and the state assembly is only one among many.

More important is adopting a

More important is adopting a new, more democratic system of voting such as proportional representation (PR). It is a preferential system with each voter voting (1) for their first choice, (2) for their second choice, etc. The result is that any party or group of voters with, say, 20% of the voters will elect 20%. It also means that all members of the legislative body must keep on their toes. If any member tries to remain in otfice for a lifetime without doing a first rate job, that member can easily be defeated.

I hope voters will vote against questions C and D and instead work for electoral reform.

Bob Auerbach

Great Ghosts

Although we've lived in Greenbelt for three and a half years, this year was our first Ghost Walk. We had no idea what a wonderful experience this was to be.

We arrived after dark and the straw-covered walkway glowed gently in the moonlight and in the light of scores of lit jack-olanterns. The effect was magical. There was so much creativity on display for all to admire, from the intricate jack-o-lantern carvings to the ghostly apparitions. Our two-year-old son still talks non-stop about the three-cyed pumpkin and how Goatman crashed through the woods laughing maniacally and crying, "I'm hungry." He was most impressed that Goatman stopped to say "Hi" to him.

Congratulations to the Committee to Save the Green Beit for this unique and appropriate way to celebrate the fall season and to call attention to the

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Tell Us How We Can Help

To date there has been strong support to keep the theatre open in Greenbelt. As a 30-year resident, I too would like o see the movie house stay open. I believe it is time for the movie management to respond and tell us what it will take to stay open.

Paying \$1.50 is a bargain, but I would be happy paying \$2.50 or even higher just for the convenience of having a local theatre to attend. They might even consider first run movies mixed in with second run movies or all day Saturday matinees for the kids (the thrill of my life when I was growing up here).

If the theatre management is interested in remaining open, tell us what we can do to help!

Eric Weiner

Correction

The annual meeting of the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative will be held on Saturday, October 31 at 10:15 a.m. The time was listed incorrectly in last week's paper. The News Review regrets the error.

County Gets Funds For Bike Trails

The Anacostia Trails System in Prince Georges County got a big boost on Saturday, September 12 as Maryland Secretary of Transportation James Lighthizer presented a check for \$1.4 million for completion of the bike and pedestrian paths. The entire project will cost \$4 million. The funds come from the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 which was set up by Congress to encourage state use of revenue sharing funds for alternate means of transportation such as bicycle corridors.

The system includes the bike trail along the Northeast Branch of the Anacostia (Indian Creek) ending at Greenbelt Road.



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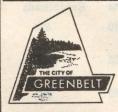
GHI Board of Directors Meeting

November 5, 1992 - 8:00 p.m. GHI Board Room

Key Agenda Item:

- Adoption of 1993 Budget
- (first reading) • Historic District

Members are invited to attend



Notice of Vacancies on City Boards and Committees

Applications are being sought from residents who would like to serve on a city advisory board or committee. Vacancies presently exist on the:

Board of Elections
Crime Prevention Committee
Recycling Advisory Committee
Youth Advisory Committee

If you are interested in serving your community, and getting to know some of its most interesting residents,, you may do so by joining an advisory group. We have established a "bank" of volunteers to draw on when there are openings. These will be occurring periodically on the following boards or committees, as well as those listed above.

Arts Advisory Committee

Park and Recreation Advisory Board

Community Relations Advisory Board

Senior Citizens Advisory Committee

Please call 474-3870 if you have questions or would like to receive an application.

Dorothy Lauber, CMC City Celrk

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Exploring Healing

On Friday, November 6, from 1-3 p.m. "Explorations Unlimited" participants will discover how to heal their lives. Nancy Shaffer, a teacher and counselor, will be presenting Louise Hay's philosophy and techniques as described in her book You Can Heal Your Life.

According to Hay, "becoming aware of and understanding the belief systems and thoughts that have been running your life empowers you to take charge of your life."

Shaffer, a former high school eacher with a BS in Health and PE and an MS in counseling and psychology, currently teaches Health, Exercise and Fitness for senior citizens through PGCC and has a counseling practice. She also does MarieEl healing treatments. Her philosophy is that total fitness incorporates body, mind and spirit.

"Explorations Unlimited" is a

"Explorations Unlimited" is a speaker series held every Friday from 1-3 p.m. at the Youth Center. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information call 474-6878.

At the Library

Thursday, November 5, 10:15 a.m. Drop-In Storytime ages 3-5. Saturday, November 7, 3-5 p.m. opening reception for the November exhibit in The Gallery. The exhibit is oils and wood carvings by Thomas Tanner.

Fire Dept. Auxiliary

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will be sponsoring a fund-raising project promoting family portraits. This project will be under way within the next week or so.

or so.

The auxiliary would like to stress that residents ask solicitors for proper identification. They are required to display a city permit at all times. The auxiliary's project has the approval of both the City of Greenbelt and the Greenbelt Police Department.

Residents with questions or concerns should call the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department on 345-7000.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

North End School Update Meeting

Suzanne M. Plogman, chairperson of the Prince Georges County Board of Education, will hold an informational meeting to update the community on Greenbelt Elementary School at the North End on Wednesday, November 4 at 7:30 p.m., at the Greenbelt Center Elementary School's Media Center, The construction manager of the Henley Construction Company will be present.

The meeting is open to the public.

Elect to Read

Children might be too young to pick the next President, but can still vote for their favorite book. Anyone who is six to 12 years old, can pick up an Elect to Read ballot at their nearest polling place — that is, their branch library — and cast a vote for their one favorite book!

Remember, this election also ends on Tuesday, November 3, so hurry and vote.

The books that get the most votes will be announced in the January-February issue of Current.

Green Belters Meet

The Committee to Save the Green Belt will meet on Tuesday, November 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library lower level conference room. For more information call 474-4863.

Genealogical Society

The Prince Georges County Genealogical Society will meet Wednesday, November 4 at 7 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. The meeting is open to the public.

Connie Catania, genealogist and lecturer, will speak on "The Ins and Outs of Irish Research." This is an area that presents many difficulties but this lecture should provide much help to the researcher.

GEAC to Meet

The Greenbelt East Advisory Committee will meet Thursday, Nov. 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbriar Community Building.

Tree Planting

On Saturday, November 7, the Greenbrook Estates Homeowners Association will plant trees obtained from a Prince Georges County Re-Leaf grant and purchased through the Maryland Program Treemendous. Lasting Impressions, the community's landscape service, is also giv-ing free assistance for this project. This fall planting festival will start at 9:30 a.m. at 7006 Megan Lane with instructions on how to plant and care for the trees and planting assignments. Refreshments will be available.

The trees will be planted in the Greenbrook Estates common areas. Volunteer tree planters are needed. For information call 474-4722 after 6 p.m.

Hayride in the Park

Enjoy the autumn colors and sunset on a hay ride through Greenbelt Park on Saturday, November 7 at 5 p.m. Join the park ranger at the Sweetgum Picnic Area. Call 344-3948 to reserve a space.

Annual Fall Bazaar

The Annual Fall Bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 7 at the Greenbelt Community Church at the corner of Hillside and Crescent Roads. There will be a country cupboard with crafts, baked goods, Christmas gifts, international gifts, and a silent auction. The silent auction includes services provided by members such as painting, resume writing assistance, counseling, knitting lessons, window washing, etc. Lunch is available for a nominal fee. Admission is free. 301-474-6171.

Rocket Launch At Goddard

The Goddard Visitor Center will host a model rocket launch on Sunday, November 1 at 1 p.m. All are invited to bring a rocket or just come to watch. All launches are monitored for safety. The Center is located on Soil Conservation Road. For information call 286-8981 or TDD 286-8103.

Volksmarch

On Thursday, November 5 the Great Greenbelt Volksmarchers will host a 10-kilometer Guided Night Walk beginning at 5:30 at Roosevelt Center. Bring a flash light. Meet at Joe's Deli, 107 Centerway, next to the NationsBank in old Greenbelt. A "B" medal event (medals from previous events available). Trail rating = 1, not suitable for strolers. For additional information, write 4-D Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Md. 20770, or call Lee Struglia (301) 345-3203 or Dee Downs (301) 474-4653.

Nursery School to Hold Holiday, Shopping Party

The Greenelt Nursery School and Kindergarten, located at 1 Hillside Road, will hold its annual holiday shopping party on Thursday, November 12 from 6-10 p.m.

The event offers parents an easy and convenient way to shop for gifts for all of the children in their family as well as gifts and crafts for the entire family.

Featured will be brand names in children's toys, puzzles, gamec, books, art supplies, and musical instruments. In addition, there will be a wide selection of handmade clothing, crafts, baked goods, and gourmet items. People are to bring a favorite pizture for fashioning into a button or magnet!

The Greenbelt Nursery School has served the community for over 50 years. Contact the school (474-5570) for further information

SENIOR HOUSING CO-OP ON GCC'S AGENDA

A mailing has gone out recently to members of Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative (GCC) announcing the date for the next annual meeting, to be held Saturday, October 31, at 10:15 a.m. at the Greenbelt Library. Among items on the coop's agenda, besides reports from the board and managers of the supermarket and the gas station, is an issue that was brought up previously in the last few years—the possibility of founding a new housing cooperative for senior citizens.

The Housing Committee of GOC has explored several options during this time, such as a controversial suggestion to construct a several-story apartment building behind the library and adjacent to the renovated Center School. Other locations have also been studied and discarded by the committee, which is headed by Jim Cassels. Among these were the Candy Cane City area, a site near St. Hugh's in the lake park and a location on Hamilton Place opposite the Greenbelt Homes service building.

Now, according to an informational enclosure in the letter to members, the Housing Committee has been negotiating with the owner of a "sound, beautiful, well-located elevator building" in the city on the possibility of purchasing the 178-apartment structure for a housing cooperative for persons at least 55 years old. An engineering study of the building has already been made, the committee reports, and an appraisal is awaited.

At the October meeting, GCC members will be asked to study a proposal and, if they approve it, to authorize the board to lend up to \$50,000 from the reserve fund for a projected new senior housing cooperative. The one-year loan would help to pay settlement costs for the building.

An election will also be held to fill the expiring terms of Joe Timer and Tom Lammons as members of the GCC board. Both are seeking re-election.

Art Studios Meeting

Artists and craftspeople who are interested in studio space in the planned community center are invited to attend a meeting on Tuesday, November 10, 7:30 p.m. at the Youth Center.

The group will discuss the facility and how to find and select interested artists. For further information, call Barbara Simon, 474-2192.

Golden Age Club

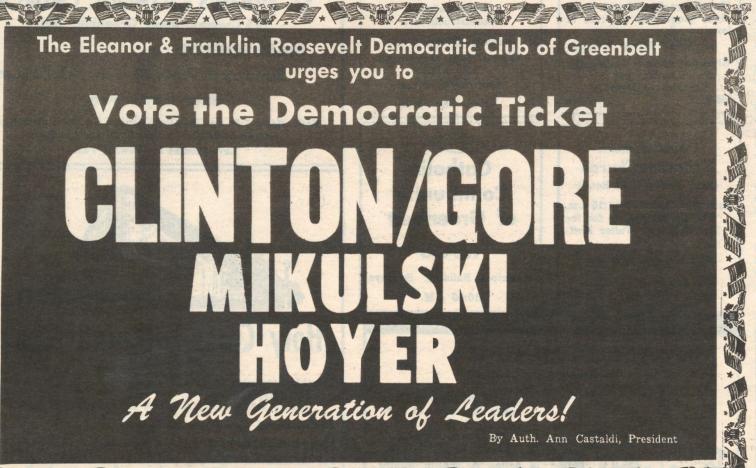
by Adeline Hinson

Wednesday, Noember 4 will be the regular monthly business meeting. We will also have a happy birthday celebration for those having birthdays in November.

Two upcoming trips are:

Thursday, December 3, a trip to Harrisburg, Pa. for a Christmas craft show. Lunch is on your own. Also, Tuesday, December 8 we will travel to Chadds Ford, Brandywine River museum, Andrew Wyeth Galleries and Winterthur. Lunch is on your own. The bus will leave the Municipal Building at 8 a.m. and return at 8 p.m.

There is a fee for both of the above trips. For further information telephone either Verna Marrie, 474-9150 or Jim Maher, 345-7324.



Officers Lanier, Sullivan Recognized for Heroism

Greenbelt Police Officers Michael Lanier and Richard Sullivan were presented with a special tribute at the regular city council meeting on September 29 in which they were recognized for their heroic efforts last July 1 to rescue an injured driver from a burning vehicle. City Manager Daniel Hobbs read a prepared statement describing the terrifying events of that night. Following Hobbs' account, both men were presented with engraved pens and formally awarded with special plaques commemorating their work.

In Hobbs' narrative concerning the events of that night, he recounted how Officer Lanier, was travelling near the intersection of Kenilworth Avenue with the Beltway, saw a vehicle run a red light and nearly collide with his police car. Lanier recognized the vehicle as closely resembling one reported stolen by Montgomery County police and subsequently chased by one of their vehicles until the two had collided, leaving the police vehicle disabled.

Taking evasive action to avoid an accident himself, Lanier saw the violator continue north on Kenilworth Avenue, where his car ran another red light at the next intersection, this time colliding with another car. Giving chase, Lanier saw the suspect leave his vehicle and flee on foot. Exiting his own vehicle, Lanier started to give chase, following the suspect who he knew was alleged to have a sawed-off shotgun.

Suddenly hearing an explosive sound, Lanier turned around to see that the other car involved in the collision had burst into flames and that its driver was in danger. At that point Lanier abandoned pursuit of the fleeing suspect in order to try to free the driver of the other vehicle, who was wedged beneath the crushed metal. Unfortunately Lanier was driven back by the heat and flames.

Lanier was then joined by Officer Sullivan, who used a fire extinguisher to keep the flames away from the driver. Both men stayed dangerously close to the burning vehicle in their effort to save the driver, knowing that at any time the fuel tank might explode. Luckily the Greenbelt's crew and apparatus arrived quickly to extinguish the blaze before the worst happened.

An account of these events was repearted at the time in the News Review, but the fate of the driver of the damaged vehicle was then unknown. Hobbs report ed that although he was rescued by the courageous work of the Greenbelt officers, his injuries were severe and he died two weeks later.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH Episcopal

Baltimore Blvd. at Powder Mill Rd., Beltsville

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Church Office Hours

Mon.-Fri. noon - 3 p.m. Rev. John G. Bals, Rector 937-4292

Council Gets a Big Surprise

by Elaine Skolnik

When City Councilmembers took their seats at the regular meeting on September 29, they looked perplexed. The agenda for the evening was non-controversial. So why, they appeared to wonder silently, were there a contingent of police on one side of the aisle and another group of active citizens on the other side?

"You had us in a terrible state of anxiety," Mayor Gil Weidenfeld told the audience afterwards. What council did not know was that two police officers were to be honored (see separate story) and that a special surprise was in store.

When Park and Recreation Advisory Board Chair Lola Skolnik rose to speak, council members squirmed uneasily in their chairs when she informed them that PRAB had received a number of comments from citizens about the recently adopted Attick Park Master Plan. PRAB, she said, had prepared an exhibit on the matter.

Ever courteous, Council appeared notably uncomfortable. Their bland expressions spoke silently: "This can't be happening, we adopted the Lake Park plan two weeks ago after decades of planning and hearings. What's going on?"

Finally, the cat was let out of the bag. Skolnik signaled Recreation Director Hank Irving and Recreation Department employee Joe McNeal, who wheeled in a dolly piled high with large boxes containing a portion of lake park studies, reports and revisions of master plans covering more than 20 years. Public Works Director Carl Hirsch followed pushing a huge trash recycling bin.

"What you see here," Skolnik told council, "might be what each of you got in one year. We come here tonight to honor Council for finally adopting a master plan for the Lake Park."

Relieved council members smiled broadly and joined PRAB and Lakeside Citizens Association members, city staff and others in dumping the materials into the recycling bin.

Baha'i Faith

"In the garden of thy heart plant naught but the rose of love. . ."

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21st Century" Walter Hoffman

Church School 9:30 a.m.

Rev. Rodney E. Thompson 937-3666 Congratulatory banners and helium balloons enhanced the festivities. In fact, the meeting was recessed for everyone to enjoy sparkling cider and attractively decorated cakes—one depicting the lake park with these words, "We finally did it and congratulations to all." The other, baked by Colleen and Keith Chernikoff, showed the lake park, its playground and other features.

In her acknowledgement of the many citizens and city staff who had helped draw up the lake park master plan over the years, Skolnik gave special recognition to the Lakeside Citizens Association, which, she said, "did extensive work on the plan . . They really provided the core, along with PRIAB members, of what became the final stage . . that of asking council for a consultant. This led to the final days of reaching a true consensus."

Skolnik spoke of Tom Renahan's diligent work, including rewriting difficult drafts and of Joe Wilkinson, a 20-year member of PRAB, who had been involved in the master plan process since 1971.

Special copies of the Master Plan, just received from the printer, were presented to all PRAB members and council.



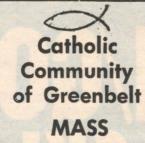
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Center School students who were a winning team in the American Statistics Poster Competition received recognition from the Prince Georges County Board of Education at their recent meeting. Standing l. to r. are Carolyn Goff, Center School principal! Lionel Young, Jason McNulty, Center School teacher Carolyn Lubetzky and David Saunders.

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Edward H. Birner, Pastor 345-5111

BALLOT QUESTIONS

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can still result in individual homeowners' taxes increasing by 10 percent in a year, while the county would be prevented from obtaining extra tax revenues from new developments needed to pay the cost for services they would require. The county council has approved CB-88, which would impose for one year a restriction limiting assessment increases on homes to not more than the increase in the CPI or 5%, whichever is the less. This law, however, does not prevent new developments from being taxed at full value, nor does it place restrictions on the increases in assessments for business properties. CB-88 is only effective if this referendum fails. It has been proposed that if the referendum does fail, CB-88 should be made a permanent county regulation by amending the charter at the next county election.

Term Limitations. County ballot question C, if approved, would limit the number of four year terms to two to which a person could be elected to either the county council or the office of county executive. The proposal would be retroactive. Six members of the nine-member county council, including the Greenbelt representative, Richard Castaldi, and the county executive would not be eligible to run for another term if the ballot question is approved. Advocates claim that incumbents, through use of their office, have an unfair advantage over challengers at elections and that they become beholden to special interests who contribute to their campaigns. Opponents note that voters lose their right to choose by the restrictions, that incumbents in their second

terms can become irresponsible "lame-ducks," and that special interests can still influence office holders by making campaign contributions.

Civil Court Juries. State Question #1 and #2 would amend the state constitution to permit the Maryland Civil Court to use six-member juries instead of 12 for civil trials, a procedure already followed by the federal courts.

Civil Court Jury Trials. State Questions #3 and #4 would require that the amount of money in dispute would have to be \$5,000 or more in order for a jury trial to be requested instead of the present minimum of \$500.

County Charter Boards. State Question #5 would permit county charter boards to have a year and one-half instead of just a year in which to write a new charter for a county. Prince Georges already has a county charter.

County Contingency Fund. County ballot question A would require the county council to set aside funds equal to three percent of the current county budget as a contingency fund which could be used only to deal with sudden, unexpected or unforeseen conditions that create imminent hazards to life, health or property and require immediate action. The contingency fund would have to be fully funded by FY 1996.

County Budget Schedule. County ballot question B, if approved, would amend the charter to set back the schedule of due dates for the county budget process by 15 days. The budget would have to be adopted by June 15 instead of May 31.

| Comparison of | State, County, Greenbelt Registration | 1 |
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| | 1992 vs. 1988 | |

| | Maryland | | Prince Georges County | | | Greenbelt | | | |
|---------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------|---------|-------------|-------|-------|--------------|
| er 25, Prince Georg | 1992 | 1988 | % Change | 1992 | -86 A | % Change | 1992 | 1988 | % Chiange |
| Democrats | 1,506,000 | 1,482,791 | 1.6 | 220,407 | 200,228 | 10.1 | 5,706 | 5,260 | 8.5 |
| Republicans | 718,000 | 638,423 | 12.5 | 62,813 | 63,500 | -1.1 | 2,094 | 2,363 | -11.4 |
| Unaffiliated | 239,000 | 188,273 | 26.9 | 34,894 | 30,110 | 15.9 | 1,411 | 1,267 | 11.4 |
| Other | Octon, D.C. | 661 | -100.0 | 392 | 204 | 92.2 | 25 | 6 | 316.7 |
| TOTAL | 2,463,000 | 2,310,148 | 6.6 | 318,506 | 294,042 | 8.3 | 9,236 | 8,896 | 3.8 |

ELECTIONS TUESDAY

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late that in Greenbelt the Clinton-Gore ticket will garner more than the 58 percent that Democrats Michael Dukakis and Lloyd Bentsen received here in 1988. In 1984 the Democratic duo of Walter Mondale/Geraldine Ferraro beat the Republican combination of Ronald Reagan/George Bush 55.1 percent to 44.2 percent. In 1980 the Carter/Mondale ticket captured 48.3 percent of Greenbelt's vote with Reagan/Bush collecting 37.6 percent.

Clinton should also carry the county comfortably, where Democrats have increased their share of registered voters since 1983 and Republicans show a loss. In the state, Republicans and Democrats both have gained since 1988, with Republicans showing a greater increase.

House Seat

Since 1981, Democrat Steny H. Hoyer has been a top votegetter in the 5th Congressional District, thoroughly trouncing his opponents. In 1990, he chalked up about 80 percent of the vote in Greenbelt and 81% in the District.

Although redistricting has

carved out a more conservative District 5, where 54 percent of the area is in southern Maryland, Hoyer is expected to win over his opponent, Republican Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr., president of Larry Hogan Associates, a commercial real estate brokerage firm, and a delegate to four Republican National Conventions. While Hoyer, fourth ranking Democrat in the House and chair of the Democratic Caucus, should win big in Greenbelt, his margin of victory overall in redrawn District 5 is expected to be less than in previous contests.

The latest registration figures show that Democrats have a 2 to 1 edge over Republicans, compared with 3.6 to 1 in the old district.

Running also in the 5th District's Congressional race is Independent William D. Johnston III, a patent attorney and environmental advocate.

Senate Race

In the U.S. Senate race incumbent Barbara A. Mikulski, Democrat, is not expected to have trouble retaining her seat. Republican challenger Alan L. Keyes, who lost to Senator Paul H. Sarbanes in 1988, was founder of National Taxpayer Action Day (October 1992) and in the 1980's served as assistant secretary of state for International Organizational Affairs.

Prior to her election in 1986, Mikulski served in the U.S. House of Representatives from 1977 to 1986.

Judicial Elections

Running without competition in the non-partisan contest for three Circuit Court Judge posi-

Vote

tions in the 7th Judicial Circuit are Larnzell Martin, Jr., Steven I. Platt and Richard H. Sotheron, Jr. Voters will also decide whether or not to continue in office Judges Howard S. Chasanow of the Court of Appeals Appellate Circuit and John J. Bishop, Jr. and Glenn T. Harrell, Jr., Court of Appeals at Large.

Over the past four years Greenbelt's registered Democrats have increased their share of the city's 9,236 registered voters by three percentage points. Republicans have sustained a loss of four percentage points and Independents increased their numbers by one.

Variables in this election that may affect the margins in the presidential, senatorial and congressional races are the possible impact of the abortion referendum, anti-incumbency and voter attitudes toward negative campaigning.

Election officials predict a turnout of about 80 percent in the county, where Democrats hold a 3.5 to 1 edge over Republicans. In Greenbelt where the margin of Democrats over Republicans is 2.7 to 1, the turnout percentage could exceed that of the county. In 1988, 79.8 percent of Greenbelt's registered voters trekked to the four precincts here, easily besting both the 1984 election turnout of 76.4 percent and that of 1980, 76.1 percent.

Election Night Party

The Prince Georges County Democratic Central Committee will be having an Election Night Victory Party on Tuesday, Nevember 3 at the Holiday Inn/Capitol Beltway located at 5310 Princess Garden Parkway in Lanham starting at 8 p.m. when the polls close.

Election results will be posted as they are received from Upper Mariboro.

For further information, please contact Marcia Krasnick at (301) 552-1188



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Blood Drive

GHI's sponsoring a blood drive on Monday, November 9 from 3 to 7 p.m. in the Board Room. Please call 474-4161 to set up a convenient time for you to donate. There is a critical shortage of blood and all types are needed. Your blood will save lives.

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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

As a woman was parking her car in the 9200 block of Edmonston Road around midnight on October 22, a youth knocked at her driver's side window and demanded money. Although he displayed no weapon, he held his right hand inside the pocket of his sweatshirt as though he had one. The woman handed over the money and the youth ran away. He is described as black, 17 years old, 5'5", 130 lbs., wearing a dark ski mask, a dark hooded sweatshirt with front pockets, and dark pants.

A young man with a semiautomatic handgun robbed a pizza delivery man in the 9100 block of Edmonston Court around 10:45 p.m. on October 20. After getting an undetermined amount of money, the robber ran away toward Edmonston Road. He is described as black with a light complexion, 20 to 25 years old, 5'9", 180 lbs., wearing a baseball cap and a black jacket with a yellow design on the left front. While patrolling the 500 block

While patrolling the 500 block of Crescent Road around 10 p.m. on October 20, an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation and found that the driver had an open warrant with the Montgomery County Police Department and a .38 caliber revolver in the vehicle. The driver, a 22-year-old nonresident man, was arrested and charged with transporting a handgun in a vehicle. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on \$2,500 bond pending trial.

While patrolling the area of Greenbelt Road and Walker Drive around 2:30 a.m. on October 17, an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation and found a pair of "nunchuks" (a martial arts weapon), some marijuana, and a wooden pipe filled with marijuana in the vehicle. Consequently the driver, a 26-year-old nonresident man, was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, and having a concealed deadly weapon. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on

Fall Fire Safety

"Test Your Detector, It's Sound Advice." The Maryland State Firemen's Association Fire Prevention Committee urges people to follow some simple fall fire safety tips.

Install and maintain smoke detectors; it is a Maryland State Law. Clean the detectors and check the batteries on a regular basis.

Have a professional check the chimney for creosote build-up and cracked mortar, clean and repair before using.

Have the heating system checked and cleaned before using, i.e., new filters, nozzles, etc.

Keep combustibles away from heaters, heating systems as well

as fireplace areas.

Gasoline powered yard and garden equipment should be

stored with empty fuel tanks.

Be sure all capable occupants know how to call 911 in an emergency situation.

An escape plan practiced reguglarly can help assure that everyone knows what to do in case of fire. Arrange for a meeting place outside, away from the house. Stress to never reenter once outside.

Periodically inspect homes for any other potential fire hazards.

\$1,000 bond pending trial.

A 35-year-old resident man was arrested and charged with driving with a suspended and revoked driver's license and with possesion of drug paraphernalia after his vehicle was stopped for a traffic violation in the 7800 block of Mandan Road on October 16. He was released pending trial.

On October 20 a breaking and entering of a residence in the 8000 block of Greenbury Drive was reported; a TV was stolen. On October 16 an attempted breaking and entering of a residence in the 5800 block of Cher-

Reward

The Greenbelt City Police Department is offering a reward of up to \$100 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person(s) responsible for any of the unsolved crimes as reported in the Police Blotter in the Greenbelt News Review. Contact Criminal Investigations at 507-6530. All information is confidential.

rywood Terrace was reported. The miscreant had pried on the door frame of a sliding glass

A red, white and blue 1993 Honda CBR 900 motorcycle, MD tags 4810D8, was reported stolen from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road on October 17.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the 9000 block of Edmonston Road, the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road, the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive, the 6400 block of Ivy Lane, the 7800 block of Jacobs Drive, 18 Court Parkway, the 400 block of Ridge Road, and the 9100 block of Springhill Court.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the 6100 block of Breezewood Drive, the area of Breezewood Drive and Cherrywood Terrace, the 5800 and 5900 blocks of Cherrywood Lane, Lakeside Drive and the 7800 block of Mandan

2 Greenbelters Indicted For Drug Distribution

On October 23, Prince Georges County States Attorney Alexander Williams, Jr., announced the indictment of two Greenbelt men alleged to be involved in a major LSD distribution ring in Maryland, Virginia, and Washington, D.C. This indictement is the result of a nine-month investigation conducted by the Maryland State Police College Park Metropolitan Area Task Force.

The Prince Georges County Grand Jury returned an 18-count indictment against Jonathan David Goldstein on various LSD distribution and possession charges. Additionally, Lennon Alexander Peake was indicted on 27 counts of LSD distribution and possession charges.

The Task Force arrested these two Greenbelt residents in September following the execution of court-ordered search and seizure warrants in the City of Greenbelt.

The Task Force includes members of the Maryland State Police Drug Enforcement Division, the Office of the State's Attorney for Prince Georges County, the University of Maryland Police Department, the Greenbelt Police Department and the Laurel Police Department. CPM-ATF was assisted with these warrants by other divisions of the Maryland State Police and by the Maryland National Guard.

Recreation Review

Standard First Aid Class
A Standard First Aid Class
will be held at the Aquatic and
Fitness Center on Tuesday and
Thursday, November 3 and 5
from 7-10:30 p.m. There is a
book fee. For registration information, call 474-6878.

CPR Class

The Community CPR class will be held at the Aquatic and Fitness Center on Tuesday and Thursday, November 10 and 12 from 7-10:30 p.m. There is a book fee. For registration information, call 474-6878.

Man Arrested On Drug Charges

According to the Greenbelt Police Department, Bruce Michael Farrell of Annapolis was arrested on October 15 in the 8900 block of Edmonston Road by members of the Greenbelt Police Narcotics Unit. At the time of the arrest over six ounces of phencyclidine (PCP) was seized, having a street value of over \$4,000. Farrell was charged with Possession with the Intent to Distribute a Controlled Dangerous Substance and held in lieu of \$25,000 bond.

Volunteer at Goddard

Goddard Space Flight Center's Visitor Center is now open 7 days a week and desperately needs volunteer or tour guides and lobby aides. Some of the "fringe" benefits are "inside" information on NASA projects and discounts at the Gift Shop. to volunteer call 779-9444.

PCP is an extremely dangerous substance which causes users to lose touch with reality. Users can exhibit extreme paranoia and quite often become violent, even against loved ones and long time friends, said a spokesperson for the department.

The department encourages citizens with information about possible drug activity in the city to call the Greenbelt Narcotics Hot Line at 982-0580. Callers may remain anonymous.

Hotline on Drugs

The Greenbelt Police Department needs the help of residents. Any citizen with information about possible drug activity in the city is encouraged to call the Greenbelt Narcotics Hot Line at 982-0580. Callers may remain anonymous.



WANTED - YOUTHS

who care about each other and solving the problems they face today

The City Council of Greenbelt is seeking youths who are willing to volunteer to serve on the Youth Advisory Committee.

While there are a number of programs, activities and organizations available to the youth of today, there is little coordination among them, and the youth frequently are not consulted about the policies and problems that affect their lives. In establishing this committee, it was Council's intention to correct these situations, and to more fully understand the problems and concerns of young people.

Volunteers should be between the ages of 12 and 18, and residents of Greenbelt. There are two adults on the committee and seven youths, but the adults serve in an advisory capacity only and do not vote or hold office on the committee. If you are interested in serving, or know someone who might be, an application can be obtained by calling 474-3870 or 474-8000.

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Public Hearing Set On Local Legislation

The Prince Georges County Delegation to the Maryland Legislature will have several public hearings in November on local legislation. The first will be held on Wednesday, November 4 at 7 p.m. by the Bi-County Committee, which deals with the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission and the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (M-NCPPC).

All public hearings will be held in the auditorium of the M-NCPPC, 6600 Kenilworth Ave-

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nue, Riverdale.

For information call Mary Gibb, Legislative Coordinator at 858-3936.

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Haunted House Tour At Doctors Hospital

Doctors Community Hospital will be conducting a Haunted House and Halloween Festival on Saturday, October 31 from noon till 4 p.m. behind the Hospitai's Outpatient Services Building.
There is a fee for the tour-Children's games, face painting and refreshments will also be available for a minimal charge. All proceeds will benefit the United Way Campaign.

This is an annual event, conducted by hospital employees who donate their time and energy to this United Way fundraiser. Haunted House tour participants will be lead through over 10 scary scenes guaranteed to haunt even the unshakable. Because of the gruesome nature of some of the scenes, the tour is not recommended for children under eight years of age. Children's games will be provided outside for those who do not wish to take the tour.

Doctors Community Hospital is a not-for-profit, 250-bed aduit medical surgical hospital located in Prince Georges County. For more information please call the Community Relations Department at (301) 552-8560.

House Specialties, Tempting Spices, Entice the Palate

by Sandra A. Lange
The stark appearance of the India Cafe in the New Carrollton Mall, 7716 Riverdale Road, belies the high quality of excellent Indian cuisine prepared by the chef. On entering the restaurant, one might be put off by the cafeteria-like atmosphere. The buffet, \$4.75 at lunch and \$5.95 at dinner, is arranged on steam tables and, at first, appears to be the only selection available. However, an extensive menu offers a wide variety of Indian specialties at reasonable prices. No entree on the dinner menu exceeds \$4.99.

The buffet offers three curry dishes, vegetable, chicken and meat. The latter might be lamb or goat. Also on the buffet are Naan, a delicious flat Indian bread, dessert and raita. Raita consists of potatoes or cucumber in a lightly spiced yogurt sauce.

Although the buffet is interesting, I would order from the menu to truly sample the variety of Indian cooking as well as its freshness. Dishes cooked to order haven't sat on the steam table for prolonged periods of time.

Many of the specialties of the house are prepared with a mixture of spices, often coriander, cumin seed, cinnamon, cloves, black pepper, cardamon, ginger, red chili, garlic and onion. All of these spices might not be used, but many are ground together and mixed so subtly that there is no hint of overspicing.

My companion enjoyed the tandoori chicken. This is one of the best known Indian dishes consisting of a skinned broiler leg, sprinkled with salt and lime juice, and marinated for at least 12 hours. The marinade consists of spices such as ground ginger, garlic, green and red chilies, and saffron, which is responsible for the deep russet color. Red food coloring is also used. It is cooked in a special tandoor clay oven,

which flavors the chicken with a kind of smoke that comes from the dripping of the marinade over the hot coals. It is served with a yogurt sauce. The dish was

I tried the marinated lamb cooked with spices and Basmanti rice, a long-grained rice with a delicate nutty flavor. Tender pieces of meat were combined with the rice, spices, raisins and almonds. It was a delightful

We also tried the samosas, triangular pastries filled with potatoes, peas and spices, and lightly fried. The pastry dough was flaky and delicious. A more unusual appetizer, Bhel Puri, is a mixture of crispy noodles, somewhat reminiscent of rice crispies, mixed with tomatoes, onions and spices, probably chili peppers. It was tangy and good.

Another delight was the ma-sala tea, a black Indian tea mixed with cardamon and cloves, served in a steaming mug.

The India Cafe is less than one year old. It is open seven days a week, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., 11 p.m. on Saturdays. There is an outside entrance from the parking lot. There are a number of vegetarian dishes on the menu, several kinds of curried dishes, south Indian specialties, and desserts.



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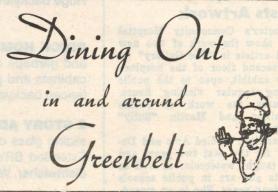
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To place your ad here, call Linda Savaryn, 474-5285 or Mary Lou Williamson, 441-2662.

Our Neighbors

by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285 Proud first time grandparents D. Earle and Margaret Graham, Woodland Way, announce the arrival of Scott Douglas Graham on October 25, weighing in at 6 lbs., 5 oz. Baby and parents Douglas and Susan Graham reside in Califon, New Jersey.

Math Hotline Returns For the School Year

The telephones will begin ringing off the hook when the popular mathematics homework hotline, "Count on Us" returns for the 1992-93 school year on cable television channel 12. The show will be televised starting October 14.

Students in the Prince Georges County public schools can call in math questions to 772-0080 and oh a live broadcast both see and hear mathematics teachers assist them with their problems on television.

Each program includes a mathematics mini-lesson given by one of the county's mathematics specialists. There are also warm-up problems and prizes. In addition special contests are sponsored during the school year open to all students. The goal is to help students experience success in mathematics as well as to help them enjoy and appreciate the subject matter.

"Count on Us" is broadcast live over cable channel 12 every Wednesday afternoon from October through May during the school year. It is produced by the Office of Television Resources of the Prince Georges County Public School System located in the Bonnie F. Johns Educational Media Center in Landover.

Local Hospital **Hosts Artwork**

Doctor's Community Hospital will show the work of two new local artists in "The Gallery" on the second floor of the hospital. This exhibit, open to the public during regular visiting hours, features the work of Jackie Hamilton and Martin "Sully" Sullivan.

Hamilton studied Arts and Design for the past two years and has taught watercolor as well as crafts and art in public schools for four years. She is an awardwinning artist specializing in watercolors. The second artist, Sullivan is primarily a watercolorist who occasionally works in oils, acrylics and inks. He is also the recipient of many awards and hosts a cable television series called "Painting with Sully." Doctors Community Hospital is located at 8118 Good Luck Road in Lanham.

Craft Show Sign Up

This year marks the 21st Annual Festival of Lights sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department. Highlighting the Festival will be the craft show and sale held at the Greenbelt Youth Center on December 5 and 6.

On those days the Youth Center will be filled with crafts-people showing and selling their wares. People who have a craft and wish to participate in the show and sale should contact the Youth Center for a brochure and application. Hours of the show are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

For additional information, contact the Greenbelt Recreation Department at 474-6878.

Free Tree Guide **Available by Mail**

"What Tree Is That?," pocket guide for identifying trees, is available free-of-charge from The National Arbor Day Foundation.

The 72-page guide will help identify 135 different trees found in the eastern and central U.S.

Dozens of drawings illustrate the trees' leaves or needles and their acorns, berries, seed pods, cones, etc. "What Tree Is That?" is organized to make it easy to identify trees in a simple stepby-step fashion.

To obtain this free tree guide, send name and address to "What Tree Is That?", The National

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed by the American Cancer Society to hand out literature and work at information booths at various health fairs throughout Prince Georges County. The hours are few but the personal rewards are great!

The American Cancer Society will have orientation and introductory training class on November 5 at 6 p.m. Please call the American Cancer Society at (301) 261-6000 to register or for more information.

Arbor Day Foundation, Nebraska City, Nebraska 68410.

Juried Exhibition to Open At Montpelier Center

"The Fourth Annual Prince Georges County Juried Exhibition" opens at the Montpelier Cultural Arts Center on November 5 and will be on display in the Main Gallery through November 30. Coinciding with the opening of the show on Friday, November 6 from 7-10 p.m. will be the Prince Georges Arts Council's gala celebration of 10 years of service to the County. The celebration is partially funded by Multivision and the Arts and Entertainment Network. Music will be provided by the Questet Ensemble.

Sculpture, paintings, prints. photographs and crafts by 19 selected County artists are featured. The Juror, Steven High, Director of the Anderson Gallery, Virginia Commonweath University in Richmond, Virginia, selected the works from over 100 entries. The show's outstanding works include two oil paintings on paper by Greenbelter Barbara Bjanes and a four-foot tall wood construction with berries and acorns by Paul Downs, also of Greenbelt. Also featured are the new works of David Yu, a 1985 graduate of Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

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BRICK UNIT! Mature shade trees in quiet fenced yard. New tile flooring in separate dining room & modern kitchen w/new sink, cabinet and counter. New carpet, refin. floors 3 fans, W/D and fresh paint. Move-in condition. \$84,999

2 BEDROOMS

END UNIT! Large yard w/privacy hedges. Modern kit. w/oak cabinets, washer & pass thru window to enlarged dining area. Ceramic tile path. Great location. \$2,000 CLOSING HELP

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The View from Ridge Road Christina O'Boyle

The Art of the Yard

In a burst of energy (while trying to find a moment's peace) I rode my bike around town. What a view. Walkers, joggers and bicyclers are right—cars go too fast for us to see what's

tucked away just beyond the street. Surrounded by metal and glass, it's difficult to get much more than a glimpse of Greenbelt's gardens. Getting out of the car and slowing down is eyeopening.

I have favorite gardens which I check on periodically when driving. On my bike I took a closer look at these landmarks and realized something: the turquoise Adirondack chairs next to the pots of geraniums and those marigolds and alyssum spilling onto the sidewalk were no mere accidents—they were art. The yard's owners are like painters

before a canvas with fibwers in one hand, a trowel in the other and an idea in mind. Each yard is a painting: the city is a gallery on exhibit.

On my tour I discovered two schools of landscape art: Yard Art and yardart. Yard Artists are serious gardeners who order perennials from Park Seed, White Flower Farm and Wayside Gardens, then spend one mouth's salary on annuals at Behnke's each spring. They garden as if they were Claude Monet. On the other hand, yardartists are close to the avant-garde in landscaping. They know the exact place

Bike Raffle

Trick or Treat

Bags

in their yard to enhance with a concrete chicken, a plywood cow or a plastic flamingo. They blow their month's salary at the monumental art store, Old World Products (a couple doors down from Behnke's) or order fancy bird baths and benches straight from Smith & Hawkins. They can stand for hours at the yard art shops scattered throughout Maryland unable to decide on the the sheep, Bo peep or the pedestal with blue glass globe.

I know whereof I speak. I married a Claude Monet who had seven tons of topsoil dumped in our front yard, followed by three tons of old bricks, then another three tons of topsoil for the backyard. My Claude's gardens are a delight to live with and look at. Every spring the UPS truck makes daily deliveries here from the mail-order nurseries, and every Sunday his car re-

turns from Behnke's bursting with flowers. My Claude married Andy Warhol's sister. I'm allowed in the garden because I pull weeds. Claude covers his eyes while I put a splash of pink in the green hosta patch with plastic flamingos, or balance the bird bath in one corner with the cupid pedestal in another, or bury shards from my favorite broken dishes beneath the boxwoods.

Art in the yard. It's what you'll see if you stroll the inner walkways of GHI, jog around Windsor Green, bike through Boxwoods or—if you must—slowly drive down any street in town-

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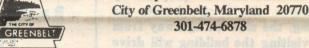




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Where: 6915 Hanover Parkway
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What's Available: Table Games, T.V., Study Table
Park Hours are from dawn till 11:00 p.m.
Rest Rooms are open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
For rental information call 474-6878.



For more information on any Greenbelt Recreation program please call the Business Office, 474-6878, Monday-Friday, 9am to 4:30pm.



Courthouse Cornerstone Laid

by Elaine Skolnik

Federal officials laid the cornerstone on October 23 for the new \$34,000,000 U.S Courthouse in Greenbelt. The facility will house the new Southern Division of the Judicial District of Maryland.

U.S. Representative Steny Hoyer (D-Md.), Chief Judge Walter E. Black, Jr., of the Maryland District Court and Regional Administrator James C. Handley of the U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) participated in the cornerstone ceremony.

Hoyer said, "the new facility will make life easier for every person in southern Maryland and the Washington region who needs to access their federal court system in Maryland."

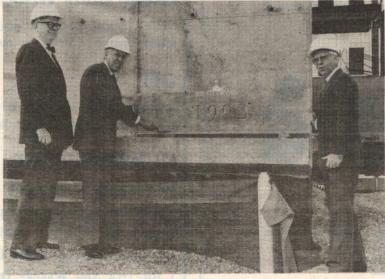
The 180,000 gross square foot courthouse is under construction on a 9-3 acre site on Cherrywood Lane near the intersection of Edmonston Road; about a quarter of a mile north of the Capital Beltway.

Under the direction of the GSA, the architectural firm of Hellmuth, Obata, and Kassabaum designed the courthouse and CRSS Commercial Group, Inc. is assisting with the construction management of the project. The George Hyman Construction Company is the contractor for the Superstructure Phase.

When completed in January 1994, the structure will house the Southern Division of the Maryland courts. The building will contain seven courtrooms: one for the senior District Court judge, two for the District Courts, two for the Magistrates, and two for the Bankruptcy Courts. The courthouse will house approximately 300 employees.

This rendering of the new Federal courthouse prepared by Helmuth, Obata and Kassabaum, Architects, depicts the north elevation of the building, the side facing away from Cherrywood Lane. Persons visiting the building will drive past the building and park in a parking structure located approximately at the point of view from which this rendering is made.

Remember to VOTE



Congressman Steny Hoyer helps to set the cornerstone for the new Federal Courthouse in Greenbelt with Chief Judge Walter E. Black (left) and James Handley, Regional Administrator for the General Services Administration (right) looking on.

—photo by J. Henson

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The purpose of this forum is to inform parents of services and provide for parents with similar concerns to meet. Call 925-5294, (TDD) 925-5167.

Concert on Nov. 6

On Friday, November 6 at 5 p.m. in the Tawes Recital Hall, Jeannette Walters, Edward Walters and Stephani Watt will present a concert of music by Mozart, Spohr, Barber and Gershwin. Selections include Mozart's Clarinet Quintet, and Songs for Soprano and Clarinet by Spohr. This concert is free and open to the public. For more information call 405-5548.

Quartet Rehearsal

On Monday, November 2 the Guarneri String Quartet will hold its third open rehearsal of the 1992-93 season at 7 p.m., in the Tawes Recital Hall at the University of Maryland, College Park. They will read through Beethoven's String Quartet in E-flat Major, Op. 74 (Harp), and time permitting, Beethoven's String Quartet in G Major, Op. 18 No. 2. The rehearsal is free.

Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center

City of Greenbelt, Maryland

1992/93 FALL-WINTER ADULT DAY & EVENING AQUATIC ACTIVITIES

In-person registration, first-come, first-served basis. ALL registrants must sign up at the Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center for aquatic classes. PLEASE NOTE registration days and times.

Registration for residents of Greenbelt and passholders ONLY is November 2 & 3 from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Registration for all others starts November 4 from 6 a.m. - 10 p.m. Registration ends Friday, November 6.

LATE REGISTRATION STARTS THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 9 AND IS ON A SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY. PLEASE NOTE: A \$5.00 LATE FEE WILL BE CHARGED.

CLASS FEES: All class fees are noted in the course description. Non-passholders of the facility will pay more than passholders. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years old and over, for non-Senior classes.

CLASS SCHEDULE: Classes begin the week of Monday, November 23.

REFUNDS: The Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registrants or causes beyond its control. Refunds will be made if classes are cancelled by the Center. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which also requires that refund requests, for valid reasons, are to be submitted IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING to the Business Office.

CITY RESIDENCY: Greenbelt residents are those who pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt. That is as it should be, as our residents pay taxes to support the Recreation Centers and the Aquatic and Fitness Center in our community. However just because someone has a Greenbelt address does not necessarily mean that they pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt. We want to be fair to the people whose tax money supports our programs. If you are not sure that you have a Greenbelt address, call 513-0390.

MAINSTREAMING: Anyone who is physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged is encouraged to participate in any of the Aquatic & Fitness Center's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call 474-6878 or TTY 474-1811 and ask for Karen Haseley.

IF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER,

PLEASE CALL 513-0390 FOR CLASS SCHEDULE INFORMATION.

For any additional information, contact the Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center at 513-0390.

ADULT DAY & EVENING CLASSES

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| Evening Aquacize | M/W | 7:00p-7:45p | 16 & Over | \$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH | 16 sessions |
| Deep Water Running | M/W | 7:00-7:45p | 16 & Over | \$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH | 16 sessions |
| High Intensity Water Aerobics | M/W | 6:00p-6:45p | 16 & Over | \$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH | 16 sessions |
| High/Low Aerobics Drop-In Onl | y FRI | 6:00p-6:45p | 16 & Over | \$2.00 PH \$3.00 N-PH per class | 5 sessions |
| | TU/TH r M/W | 2:00-3:00p 10a-10:45a | 60 & Over | \$28 PH \$32 R-NPH \$36 NR-NPH | 13 sessions |
| Water Interval Training | TU/TH | 6:00p-6:45p | 16 & Over | \$33 PH \$37 R-NPH \$40 NR NPH | 13 sessions |
| Water Walking | TU/TH | 7:00p-7:45p | 16 & Over | \$33 PH \$37 R-NPH \$40 NR NPH | 13 sessions |

CLASSES CANCELLED ON THE FOLLOWING DATES: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31 & FRIDAY, JANUARY 1.

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Seniors Softball

by Jerry Conway

The Greenbelt Senior Co-ed Softball Team achieved third place in a 30-game series with Balltimore, Howard, Montgomery, and other Prince Georges County teams.

The following persons participated with the Greenbelt team: Jerry Conway (manager), Mike Burchick (assistant manager), Lou Kerdock, George Neuman (new), Al Geiger, Wortha Maye, Sonny Raley (new), Andy Feeney, Steve Illar, Hugh McAvoy, Burt Kerr, Jack Downs (new), Tom McArdle, Paul Rall (new), Bill Bevan (new), Jim McGann, Ike Armstrong, and Bill Grennon.

Jerry Conway, Mike Burchick and Lou Kerdock played every game and all of the others played when they were available most of the time. This is the sixth year Greenbelt seniors have participated in this multiple-county series, and have always achieved first, second, or third place.

The age range for the players this year was from 62 to 79, and functioned under the slogan, "You don't stop playing because you grow old. You grow old because you stop playing."

Everybody plays, socializes, and exercise on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. til noon or however long they wish. All men and women 55 and up who wish to participate are invited to share this exercise, fellowship, and sportsmanship.

Volunteers Needed

The Columbia Lighthouse for the Blind is currently recruiting volunteers to work as mentors with visually impaired and blind job seekers.

Volunteers will assist in making business contacts, filling out job applications, and provide overall support to the person looking for work.

A training session will be held on Saturday, October 31 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Lighthouse. For more information, call Monica Shumann at (202) 462-2900, extension 3045.

Cat Rabies Increase

Cat rabies continues to increase in Maryland with 20 confirmed cases reported during the first nine months of the year compared to 15 cases in the same period in 1991, according to the Maryland Veterinary Medical Association.

Only one case of dog rabies has been reported so far in 1992 according to Dr. Jane Brunt, of Towson, vice president of the association.

"Rabies has been looked upon since ancient times as a disease of dogs," she said, "but we have seen a marked increase in cat rabies during the past five years. Of particular importance, Maryland is reporting one of the highest incidences of cat rabies in the United States."

Dr. Brunt said a prime reason for the increase is that more cats than dogs roam free at night, prowling when raccoons and skunks also are about. The cats are exposed to the disease from these wild animals which have a high incidence of the disease in their own populations. A total of 324 cases of rabies in raccoons and 34 cases in skurks were reported in Maryland during the first nine months of 1992.

Unlike dogs, Dr. Brunt added, cats are not normally supervised while outside the house. There are far fewer leash laws for cats that there are for dogs.

To protect people and animals, Maryland's legislature enacted a law in 1985 requiring cats as well as dogs to be innoculated by a veterinarian against rabies. When properly administered to a healthy pet at regular intervals, Dr. Brunt said, rabies vaccine will protect almost every animal against the disease.

Registration Begins For Aerobics Class

The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission has begun registration for Bio Aerobics Dance Fitness Classes for adults and teens. Winter Session begins the week of November 16 with classes at Center School and Greenbelt Middle School.

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What's Happening At Eleanor Roosevelt

by Mahsa Modarres

How would you like to get away for two weeks and explore the culture and history of another land? That's what Eleanor Roosevelt High School students will be doing this year as they visit their sister school in Japan.

Principal Dr. Gerald Boarman, who has already been to the school on a trip two years ago, will be accompanying the students on what he calls an "in formative and interesting" trip and an opportunity for a "marvelous education" for 20 fortunate students.

During their two-week stay the group will be visiting Tokyo, Yokohama (where the school is located), Kyoto, and Hiroshima, as well as other major sites throughout Japan. They will also get a chance to observe the Japanese Diet, comparable to the congressional body of the United States.

Dr. Boarman hopes that students will be able to "determine how different cultures go about education, life, leisure, and family," and to "realize what is precious in America." Dr. Boarman stresses that "Regardless of culture, religion, and race, we are all basically the same."

Awards

Linda Agreen, a dedicated mathematics teacher at Eleanor Roosevelt since its opening 17 years ago, was recently the recipient of a very competitive teaching award. Agreen, a teacher of Calculus, Statistics, and Algebra I, was one of three state finalists in the category of secondary school math teachers. A national committee then selected her as the winner. She will represent Maryland at an awards ceremony in Washington, D.C. this March.

The school will receive a \$7500 grant to be used for mathematics instruction. Agreen says the funds will most likely be used for additional computer and software purchases for the math department.

Two of our Greenbelt residents were also winners in the annual Write-A-Book contest sponsored by the Educational Media Association of Prince Georges County. Senior Holly Berg received third place for a book she co-wrote with Bowie resident Shelly Bowles, entitled Can You Count the Balloons? Junior Heather Houser took third

place in a team effort with Dara Cohen of Hyattsville for their book, Learning My ABC's. Winning books will tour with the 1992-1993 Write-A-Book display.

Student Spotlight

In a school with nearly 2800 students, it is hard to stand out and be recognized. This is not a problem for Stacey King, a Greenbelt resident and a junior enrolled in Eleanor Roosevot High School. The summer before her junior year, Stacey had the opportunity to go, on a trip to Europe with her All-Star soccer team from Lincoln-Phillips soccer school. The team played in tournaments in Holland, Germany, and Denmark.

"It was a good opportunity for me to go and experience other cultures," remarks King. As for the difference she saw in the European style of play, Stacey says, "They didn't play as aggressively as the U.S. team. They played more of a mind game."

Stacey is a member of the MSI Whippets, a 19 and under Washington Area Girls' soccer team, as well as the Eleanor Roosevelt varsity soccer team as a starter on the frontline. She also plays for the Maryland State ODP team which is an Olympic Development Program for talented athletes.

Stacey says she wants to play in college, hopefully on an athletic scholarship. For the time being, she wants to contribute to her team and lead them to the state championship that eluded them last year as they lost in the regional finals to an Anne Arundel team.

Community Services The Eleanor Roosevelt Chapter of the Civitan community service organization is beginning its efforts for the 1992-1993 school year. On Fridays, volunteers will be at Greenbelt Center Elementary School helping with after school activities such as footbail and soccer, arts and crafts, and gymnastics. The group is also involved in "adopt-a-road," in which they have agreed to clean up Princess Garden Parkway several times a year. In addition. Civitan is working on plans to be of service at a homeless shelter in Langley Park. The community applauds the stu-dents' efforts.

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City Notes

Trees and shrubs were pruned for visibility and safety reasons. Grass mowing continued on schedule.

Annual flowers and cannas were removed from flower beds throughout the city. Tulips, daffodils, and perennial flowers were planted at various locations to provide flowers for next year.

Ball fields were prepared for play. Sidewalks were replaced at various locations throughout the city. The tennis court lights were repaired.

Public Works crews performed the following activities:

Planting and mulching at the

Library Underpass was completed, timber edge installed, and sod laid.

Braden Field and Windsor Green Field were lined for soccer and football league play.

Newly installed bicycle racks at Schrom Hills Park and at the Police Facility were painted.

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City Honored Again
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Husar Joins Mt. Vernon Realty

Mount Vernon-Weichert, Realtors, announced recently that Anna Husar has joined the company's Greenbelt Office.

Husar, a licensed realtor for nearly two years, is an active agent in both Prince Georges

and Montgomery Counties.

A resident of Riverdale for over 13 years, Husar earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from the University of Maryland. She is active in the community, serving as a volunteer for the Arthritis Foundation's annual fund drive.

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Greenbelt Realtor Honors Roper

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Cooper & Mohn Write Story Of the Greenbelt Cooperative

A book has been recently published about the Greenbelt cooperative, Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc. On Saturday, November 7, at 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library, senior co-author and former Greenbelter Donald H. Cooper will present a copy of The Greenbelt Cooperative: Success and

Cooper, who wrote the book with Paul O. Mohn, advises that, "It is the story of people working together in Roosevelt's New Deal town of Greenbelt, Maryland to provide for themselves goods and services and a feeling of community."

Growth and Death According to the book, first day sales in the temporary food store amounted to \$11.45 for 24 shoppers. That was in October 1937. Then the cooperative spread into other areas of Maryland, the District of Columbia and Virginia. By February 1968, Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc. operated 23 supermarkets in addition to service stations and drugstores, with annual sales of \$42.5 million-all owned and controlled by the consumer members.

Sales reached \$56 million in 1976. Co-op membership reached 138,000 in 1987, but by that time the Greenbelt Cooperative was operating only Scan furniture stores-13 of them.

The member-owned cooperative survived many crises and achieved important gains for local and national consumer protection before its ignominious end in bankruptcy court in 1989. The story of the Greenbelt Co-op is not only a record of the growth and death of an unusual business enterprise but the drama of personalities and human emotions. (Note: When the cooperative chose to close its grocery store and gasoline station in Greenbelt in 1987, Greenbelt residents organized a new cooperative and raised sufficient capital and loans to purchase these facilities. The new cooperative, Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative, has successfully operated at a profit since

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Cooper, who wrote the book University of California at Dawith Paul O. Mohn, advises that, vis, has published two editions of the book. The 438-page edition offers the uncut narrative of Cooper which relates the emotions of decision making by amateurs in the business world, the agonies and ecstasies of the many volunteer leaders. For this, Cooper, who was a former editor, business manager and president of the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association in the 1930s and '40s, relied extensively upon the old issues of The Greenbelt Cooperator, predecessor to the Greenbelt News Review, which are located in this paper's archives in the basement of 15 Parkway.

The second part of this edition is a business appraisal of what succeeded and what went wrong, which the authors support with charts and graphs and comparison with a strong competitor in the Washington

Metropolitan area. A 258-page edition has also been published which concentrates on the business aspects of the cooperative which should be useful to readers interested in economics and business affairs. Either edition may be purchased through the National Cooperative Business Association. Publications Department, in Washington, D.C. For information

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TIME: 10 am - 12 noon

COST: \$25 residents; \$30 non-residents

REGISTER: Youth Center Business Office beginning Monday, November 2nd at 10:00am. For more information contact the Greenbelt Recreation Department at 474-6878.

Commission for Women Plans 20th Anniversary

Women from around the county, women's organizations, elected officials, community leaders and other interested individuals are being invited to attend the 20th anniversary celebration of the Prince Georges County Commission for Women. Scheduled to be celebrated on Sunday, November 15 from 2-5 p.m. at the Ramada Hotel in Oxon Hill, the theme of the anniversary is "The Fabric of Women's Lives."

According to Shirley Gravely-Currie, chairperson of the 20th Anniversary Planning Committee, "The theme truly reflects the women who will be participating in the celebration.

Women role models representing various age groups, races, and career paths will be acknowledged and saluted during the afternoon gala."

Individuals interested in participating in the planning of the celebration or attending the gala are encouraged to contact Barbara Miller, executive director of the Commission. Organizations interested in being included in the Souvenir Program should contact the Commission for Women office at (301) 925-5370 as soon as possible. The deadline for program entries is October 15. For additional information write the Commission at 9201 Basil Court, Room 466. Landover, Md. 20785 or call (301) 925-5370. TDD (301) 925-5167.

Greenbelt CARES

Judye Hering met with the sorority sisters from Phi Sigma Sigma on Tuesday, September 15, on the University of Maryland campus. These sisters have adopted Greenbelt CARES tutoring program as their community service program again this year and have volunteered their services to work with CARES' students.

NOTICE OF CHARTER AMENDMENT

At its regular meeting, held on September 29, 1992, the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland adopted Charter Amendment Resolution 1992-1 (Resolution Number 784). The resolution enlarges the corporate boundaries of the city by annexing the 9.311 acre parcel of land where the new Federal Court House is being constructed on Cherry-wood Lane. The City Council took this action because the General Services Administration, owner of the property, petitioned for annexation.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND, ENLARGING THE CORPORATE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 23A, SECTION 19, OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND (1957) EDITION AND AMENDMENTS), BY ANNEXING THERETO CER-TAIN LANDS AND PROPERTY CONTIGUOUS TO AND ADJOINING THE EXISTING NORTHERN COR-PORATE BOUNDARY OF THE CITY, EAST OF THE CAPITAL BELTWAY, BEING THE LANDS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA GENERAL SER-VICES ADMINISTRATION, IN BERWYN DISTRICT 21, PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND, AN AREA OF 9.311 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION PREPARED BY GREENMAN-PEDER-SEN, INC., REGISTERED ENGINEERS AND SUR-VEYORS, AND AS SET FORTH IN THE RESOLU-TION

The above titled Charter amendment shall become and be considered a part of the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, according to the terms of the amendment, in all respects to be effective and observed as such, upon the 13th day of November, 1992, unless on or before the 8th day of November, 1992 there shall be presented to the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, or mailed to it by registered mail, a petition for referendum signed by twenty percent or more of the persons qualified to vote in the regular election of the City of Greenbelt, requesting the above Charter amendment be submitted on referendum to the voters of the City of Greenbelt.

A copy of the above Charter Amendment Resolution 1992-1 (Resolution No. 784) is posted in the Greenbelt, Municipal Building in accordance with the requirements of Section 13(d) of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and may be obtained from the City Clerk, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland - Telephone 474-3870 or 474-8000.

> Daniel G. Hobbs City Manager

Scouts Adopt a Pond

The City of Greenbelt didn't have an immediate need for Greenbelt Girl Scouts to adopta-road, so the Girl Scouts turned to the county. "We're real excited about being the first group in the county to . . . adopt-a-pond!" said Service Unit Mana-ger Karen Yoho.

The storm water management pond at Hanover Parkway and Ora Glen Drive is in need of litter pick up and signs will go up any day to announce the Giri Scouts' service to the community. The first clean up is Saturday, October 31, beginning at

"The Greenbelt Girl Sconts can make a very positive contribution to the city and the County by assisting the County with its pond maintenance program at this site. The Girl Scouts will be beautifying a very visible part of Greenbelt!" said Prince Georges County Council Chairman Richard J. Castaldi.

The October 31 kick-off coincides with Girl Scouts' Founder's Day. Future clean-ups wili be regularly scheduled, and all Girl Scouts, from Daisies to Seniors will participate.

GEAC Backs 5 Acre Lake

by S. R. Cherry
The status of the Greenbrook Lake project was the opening issue of the Greenbelt East Advisory Committee (GEAC) during its October 1 meeting. Members were less than satisfied with the progress being made by the city to see that the lake is developed. Concern was voiced by those attending regarding the lack of written documentation of the city's position by Celia Wilson, Greenbelt's Director of Planning and Development.

The committee discussed a September meeting about the lake before the Advisory Planning Board and the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, where Wilson had announced that "a wet pond was not going to happen." This statement was based on a judgment by George Chactouris, county supervisor of wetland permit section. GEAC Chairman Timothy Sechrist suggested that perhaps one approach to acquiring permits for a lake was to get elected federal officials involved. He hinted at possibly bringing the issue to the attention of Maryland Congressman Steny Hoyer.

GEAC also stressed concerns about the position of the city's engineers on the environmental impact that the man-made 'ake would have on the surrounding area. The difficulty arises over the issue of whether the area is a wetlands, which would de-termine whether the project is to be presented to the U.S. Corps of Engineers as a wet pond or

dry pond concept.
Greenbrook Village resident Chuck Dunlap stated that equally credentialed engineers can have differing opinions about whether a wet or dry pond is needed for the site. Richard Mills, also of Greenbrook Village, assessed the situation as a procedural issue. He called for requesting a permit to allow input on the plan so that all the key points could be addressed.

Mills also suggested that the original five-acre plan proposed by Greenhorne and O'Mara be pursued. He said, "A well crafted permit based on the five-acre plan can be worked with and a fallback position can be sched-uled in the plan." A motion to recommend filing a permit for the originally approved plan of July 1986 with five-acre lake was

supported by the group.

Greenbelt Road Median

Supporting a previous letter from Windsor Green's Sheldon Goldberg, Dorothy Pyles of Greenbriar sent a letter to Creston Mills, District Engineer for the State Highway Administration, opposing the elimination of the left turn lane that currently allows traffic to exit and enter through the controversial Greenbelt Road and Frankfort Drive intersection.

Greenwood Village would not give its support to the measure because of concerns that an aiternate plan may increase the number of traffic lights to the affected area which might cause traffic flow problems, however, Greenwood Village's Dan Lowery stated that if there was more clarification about the traffic lights, he might then be able to support the majority's position.

GEAC will hold its next meeting at 7:30 p.m. on November 5 in the Greenbriar Community Center.

Folk Singer, Story **Teller to Perform**

Folk singer and storyteller Bill Wellington will present two family concerts on Saturday, November 7. He will be at the New Carrollton Library, 7414 River. dale Road at 11 a.m. and at the Beltsville Library, 4319 Sellman Road at 2:30 p.m. Wellington has performed his "folklore set to music" for audiences around the country. He has appeared at the Smithsonian Institution and at the International Children's Festival at Wolf Trap.

RADIO WOOF, Wellington's first recording, was hailed as a "Prairie Home Companion for Kids" by the Parent's Choice Foundation. It won the Parent's Choice Gold Award and was named a Notable Children's Recording by the American Library

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